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Subject:

Settlement of MICROSOFT pending action.

Message:

Honorable Attorney General:

Attached herein please find a letter expressing my sentiments on the matter related above.

Respectfully Yours,

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Attorney General John Ashcroft US Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20530

Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I am writing today to express my support for the recent settlement proposed to Microsoft by the DOJ. The truth is that I have a terrible time seeing what continued litigation would accomplish if the last three years were so unproductive. I would really love to see this lawsuit wrapped up so that taxpayers don't have to waste any more money. Additionally, wrapping up this case will help boost the slowing economy and give the IT industry much needed revitalization.

I believe that the settlement is a fair one that encompasses all points of concern. Microsoft's adherence to terms of this contract ensures that future antitrust violations will not occur. Competitors may also put their concerns to rest as a result of several of Microsoft's agreement. Microsoft has agreed to create future versions of Windows that will allow for non-Microsoft products to function therein. Also, Microsoft has agreed to disclose Windows interfaces and intellectual property.

It is my hope that Microsoft desire to comply will help to quell the concerns of the dissatisfied states. Please make the necessary decision to wrap this matter up as soon as possible. This will be in the best interest of the IT industry, the economy and consumers.

Sincerely,